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	Of course, I remember you very well from the time when we were all in the Since then you have certainly been around a lot, but, as I have never gone back to Central America since 1953, there was no opportunity for us to see each other.	
	I am enclosing herewith a Form 57 for application for employment in this Agency. It is self-explanatory, and, if you will fill it out and return it to me, I shall shop it around through our offices to find out whether there is a place for you. I can't promise anything yet, but I assure you your application will be looked on with a very favorable eye.	
	With best wishes, please believe me,	
	Simerely,	
	R. H. HILLENKOETTER 11-23-48 Roar Admiral, USN	,
	Director of Central Intelligence	
	cc: Director Central Records	
	Personnel Branch A&M (w/basic ltr dtd 11/6/48)	

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